

USED RIFLE TO INTIMIDATE RANCHER

J. H. Scott Secured His Alleged Rights at Point of Gun.

Prescott, Ariz., Sept. 23.—Deputy Sheriff Merritt arrived here last night from Camp Verde, having in custody John H. Scott, charged with taking possession of a ranch which was in charge of Jack Wilson at the point of a Winchester rifle yesterday.

Scott is an old time resident of the valley, and heretofore has borne a good reputation. The trouble is the outgrowth of a dispute over a deal for the purchase of Scott's ranch and horses of A. W. Cook.

It seems that Cook bargained with Scott for the purchase of the latter's ranch and horses for \$10,000, on May 21. On that date, it is alleged, Cook paid Scott \$1,000 as part of the purchase price, with the promise he would pay the balance of \$9,000 on the first of the following month. When the second payment was due, Cook is said to have failed to meet the payment, although he had in the meantime made some improvements on the ranch, and it is said, sold thirty-two head of the horses bargained for in the deal.

Used His Rifle. Cook refused to give possession of the place to Scott and the dispute was referred to a board of arbitration. The decision of the arbitrators was in effect that Scott should return the \$1,000 payment made on the purchase price to Cook, in lieu of some improvements made on the place by the latter, and that Cook should give possession of the land and stock interests to Scott. Scott is alleged to have refused to pay back the \$1,000 to Cook.

Wilson, who had been in Scott's employ before the deal was made, was in possession of the place for Cook. Scott is alleged to have ridden to the place on horseback, armed with a Winchester rifle, and to have taken forcible possession of the place from Wilson, ordering him from the premises, with the threat that if he refused to move, his head would be blown from his shoulders.

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TO WOMAN WAS IN ABUSES OF CHILD LABOR IN MINES AND MILLS OF EAST

Appealed to Official But He Was Not In That Business.

About 10 o'clock this morning a woman poorly clad rushed into the office of a well known official and demanded of that gentleman that he issue her a decree of divorce at once. He informed the woman that the person she wanted to see was a lawyer. She replied to this statement that she had only been in town a short while, coming here from El Paso, and that she had not had an opportunity to locate a lawyer.

She was then informed that if she had only been here a few days, she could not secure a divorce, no matter what her grounds were, as the law provides that a person shall be a resident of the territory for a certain length of time before divorce proceedings can be brought.

Poor Opinion of Laws. The woman, who refused to give her name, then told the official just what she thought of a territory that would have laws of that kind, and turning on her heel, walked indignantly out of his office.

Before entering this office, she stopped a gentleman who was just entering the building, saying that she wanted a divorce, and asked him to direct her to the proper office.

The man she accosted replied that he didn't have any divorces in his pocket at that time, but that probably the official could attend to the matter.

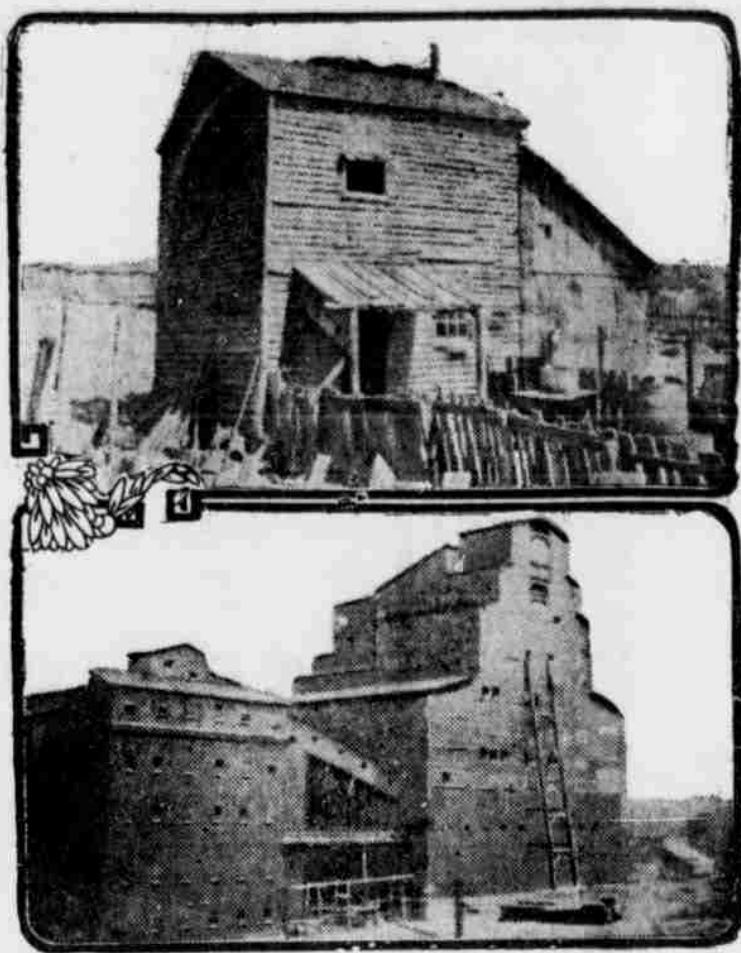
INJURED BY GAS TANK EXPLOSION

Artesia, N. M., Sept. 23.—While Dr. R. Scott was pumping air into a soda fountain tank at the Pecos Valley drug store, the tank exploded with tremendous force, damaging the building and seriously injuring Mr. Scott.

The tank opened on the side opposite Scott and to this fact alone he probably owes his existence today. The floor was blown down and a large hole made in the side of the building. Scott received a scalp wound and several cuts and bruises, that will cause him to lay up for several days.

ABUSES OF CHILD LABOR IN MINES AND MILLS OF EAST

Little Girls of Tender Age Get \$2 Per Week--8 Year Old Boy Sits in Steaming Bath All Day.



A Wilkes-Barre Coal Miner's Home. A Typical Coal Breaker at Wilkes-Barre.

Wilkes-Barre, Pa., Sept. 23.—An official of the department of commerce and labor who has been investigating child labor, says:

"In this county, Luzerne, there are probably 5,000 children, boys and girls, under 14, working in coal breakers and silk and cotton mills. State laws afford no protection to small children here. And that county, I am assured, is a fair sample of many others of the state.

"I do not know what the federal commission will report to congress on this matter, but I do know that child labor is employed here on every hand, openly and notoriously, cruelly, inexcusably.

"I have seen it for myself. At breakers and factories I have talked to foremen and children. Also I have talked to school teachers, priests, editors, labor leaders and state inspectors. All say the same. The practice is admitted. Nearly all deplore it. Only those defend it who profit by its dollars.

"I visited mines and mills at random. Boys to the breaker; girls to the silk mill. At the Wilkes-Barre silk mill at Georgetown I was refused admission. At the Empire mill, near by, I was admitted to part of the mill. These two employ about 700 girls. Many of them are little girls in short skirts.

Working Papers. "They all have their working papers, affidavits sworn to by their parents, that they are of legal age. These perjured affidavits are plentiful.

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ROOT'S VISIT TO DIAZ WILL BE MORE THAN SOCIAL CALL

Sort of Protectorate Over Central American Republics Will Be Result of Secretary's Trip.



Secretary Root, Ambassador Creel.

Washington, Sept. 23.—Although the official statement says that Secretary Root's coming visit to Mexico, beginning September 25, is purely social, the fact remains that the principal aim of the trip is the formation of a species of joint Mexico-United States protectorate to arbitrate differences among the Central American republics.

It is learned from Central American diplomats here that each of their countries will have representatives in the city of Mexico during Mr. Root's visit. Naturally, there will be meetings between these agents and Mr. Root and President Diaz and naturally peace and arbitration will be discussed.

The attitude of Secretary Root will be receptive; he will be there to hear suggestions and to indicate his opinions as to what the United States is willing to do in forwarding a diplomatic program.

President Diaz has long had the idea of a species of federation between the Central American republics which put an end to the petty revolutions and political wars which interfere with business and stop commercial development in those rich regions. A part of this plan is arbitration board, consisting of Mexico and the United States. The point is

President Diaz.

new. Will the United States join and will we consent to a scheme to enforce the decrees of such an arbitration tribunal?

For Friendship's Sake.

Ambassador Creel, of Mexico, has made an official announcement, stating that the purpose of the trip of Mr. Root is to develop the friendship and good will and commercial intercourse between the United States and Mexico. However, Creel, who is a millionaire thirty times over, has devoted nearly all his time in Washington to his chief's pet project and if it carries the credit will be largely his.

Secretary Root goes to Mexico as that nation's guest. The invitation comes personally from President Diaz, and the latter will meet him at Mexico City, where he will be entertained in the famous palace Chapultepec.

With Secretary Root will be his son, Ethel, Jr., and Mrs. Root. The party will travel in a private car attached to a regular train as far as Laredo, Tex., where they will be met by a delegation of prominent citizens from Mexico and escorted to Mexico City. The trip through Mexico will be made in the private car of President Diaz, which, by the way, is said to be the most luxurious private car ever constructed.